

Area Code Exhaust Dates

According to the Public Utilities Commission, following are the dates when, barring the implementation of SB 1741 or other number conservation measures, California's existing area codes will run out of usable telephone numbers:

<u>Area Code</u>	<u>Exhaust Date</u>	<u>Note</u>
209	2004, 3 rd Quarter	Created in 1958 from the 415 area code, it was reduced in size in 1999 by the creation of the 559.
213	2004, 4 th Quarter	One of three original area codes in 1947, it's been reduced over the years through the creation of the 714 (1951), 805 (1957), 818 (1984), 310 (1992), and 323 (1998).
310	2001, 4 th Quarter	Carved out of the 213 area code in 1992, a portion of the 310 was split off into the 562 in 1997. Originally projected to run out of numbers in 2 nd Quarter of 1999, but had its life extend by number conservation measures and number pooling (handing out phone numbers in blocks of 1,000 instead of 10,000) put in place by the PUC. Number pooling trial instituted in March 2000.
323	2003, 4 th Quarter	Carved out of the 213 area code in 1998.
369	NA	Carved out of the 707 area code and was supposed to take effect in December 2000, but a July 2000 PUC decision suspended its implementation.
408	2004, 2 nd Quarter	Carved out of the 415 area code in 1959, it was reduced in 1999 when the 831 was created.
415	2002, 3 rd Quarter	One of three original area codes in 1947, it's been reduced over the years through the creation of the 408 (1959), 510 (1991), and 650 (1998). Number pooling trial instituted in July 2000. A plan to impose a geographic overlay in January 2001 was suspended by the PUC in late 1999.
510	2003, 3 rd Quarter	Carved out of the 415 area code in 1991, it was reduced in 1999 when the 925 was created. A plan to impose a geographic overlay in April 2001 was suspended by the PUC in late 1999.
530	2004, 4 th Quarter	Carved out of the 916 area code in 1998.
559	2005, 1 st Quarter	Carved out of the 209 area code in 1999.
562	2001, 1 st Quarter	Carved out of the 310 area code in 1997.
619	2004, 4 th Quarter	Carved out of the 714 area code in 1982, it was reduced in 1997 by the creation of the 760 and again in 2000 by the creation of the 858.
626	2005, 1 st Quarter	Carved out of the 818 area code in 1998.
627	NA	Carved out of the 707 area code and was supposed to take effect in October 2001, but a July 2000 PUC decision suspended its implementation.
650	2003, 2 nd Quarter	Carved out of the 415 area code in 1998. A plan to impose a geographic overlay in June 2001 was suspended by the PUC in late 1999.

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661	2003, 3 rd Quarter	Carved out of the 805 area code in 1999.
707	NA	Carved out of the 916 area code in 1959, it was scheduled to be reduced in December 2000 with the creation of the 369 for Vallejo, Fairfield, Vacaville, Dixon, and Rio Vista and the creation of the 627 for Petaluma, Sonoma, and Napa in October 2001. However, a July 2000 PUC decision suspended the split in the 707 indefinitely.
714	2002, 3 rd Quarter	Carved out of the 213 area code in 1951, it's been reduced over the years by the creation of the 619 (1982), 909 (1992), and 949 (1999). Number pooling trial to be instituted October 2000.
760	2003, 4 th Quarter	Carved out of the 619 area code in 1997. It was scheduled to be split in October 2000 but the PUC suspended that split indefinitely in July 2000.
805	2003, 4 th Quarter	Carved out of the 213 area code in 1957, it was reduced in 1999 with the creation of the 661.
818	2003, 4 th Quarter	Carved out of the 213 area code in 1984, it was reduced in 1998 by the creation of the 626.
831	2005, 3 rd Quarter	Carved out of the 408 area code in 1999.
858	2004, 2 nd Quarter	Carved out of the 619 area code in February 2000.
909	2002, 4 th Quarter	Carved out of the 714 area code in 1992. Number pooling trial to be instituted December 2000.
916	2003, 3 rd Quarter	One of three original area codes in 1947, it's been reduced over the years through the creation of the 707 (1959) and the 530 (1998).
925	2004, 3 rd Quarter	Carved out of the 510 area code in 1999.
949	2006, 1 st Quarter	Carved out of the 714 area code in 1999.